## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

MICHAEL LEPPERT,

Petitioner,

**ORDER** 

v.

08-cv-367-slc

DAVID MAHONEY, LT. TWOMBLY, SARGENT PRICE, WAYNE HONER, Detective, DANIEL VILLAREAL, DEBBIE MOORE and NANCY REED, sued in their individual and official capacities,

Respondents.

Petitioner Michael Leppert, a prisoner at the Dane County Jail in Madison, Wisconsin, has submitted a proposed complaint. He asks for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Because petitioner is a prisoner, he is subject to the 1996 Prisoner Litigation Reform Act. This means that before this court may decide whether he can proceed with his complaint *in forma pauperis*, petitioner will have to make an initial partial payment of the filing fee in the amount of \$22.08 and the remainder of the fee in monthly installments even if his request for leave to proceed is denied.

## **ORDER**

IT IS ORDERED that petitioner Michael Leppert is assessed \$22.08 as an initial partial payment of the \$350 fee for filing this case. He is to submit a check or money order made payable to the clerk of court in the amount of \$22.08 on or before July 21, 2008. If, by July 21,

2008, petitioner fails to make the initial partial payment or show cause for his failure to do so,

he will be held to have withdrawn this action voluntarily. In that event, the clerk of court is

directed to close this file without prejudice to petitioner's filing his case at a later date.

Entered this 30<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2008.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER Magistrate Judge